

# 2014 FOOD SAFETY AND WATER QUALITY CO-MANAGEMENT FORUM

Hosted by Farm Food Safety and Conservation Network

August 20, 2014

UCCE Auditorium, 1432 Abbott Street, Salinas

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## GOALS:

- Present the latest on existing and pending regulations that affect co-management.
- Present practical strategies to manage agricultural production for food safety and sustainability outcomes.
- Provide networking and collaborative problem-solving opportunities between diverse groups.

**CHECK-IN (See advance registration information below) 7:45**

**INTRODUCTIONS & PREVIEW QUESTIONS 8:30-8:45**

## **Panel 1 – BALANCING WATER RESOURCES AND FOOD SAFETY IN A DROUGHT 8:45-10:15**

Moderator: Johnny Gonzalez, State Water Resources Control Board

### WATER RESOURCES UPDATE

Monterey County Water Resources Agency

Monterey Co Water Pollution Control Agency – CSIP

San Benito County Water District

### WATER QUALITY UPDATE

State Water Resources Control Board

### FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT UPDATE

Food & Drug Administration

**BREAK 10:15-10:30**

## **Panel 2- CO-MANAGING FOR FOOD SAFETY AND THE ENVIRONMENT 10:30-11:50**

Moderator: Michael Brautovich, EarthBound Farm

CASE STUDY INTRODUCTION: Karen Lowell & Michael Brautovich

Co-management in and around riparian areas and watersheds.

GROWER PANEL: ACHIEVING CO-MANAGEMENT IN A PRODUCTION ENVIRONMENT

**FOLLOW-UP Questions 11:50-12:00**

**Lunch: 12:00 – 12:45**

**PREPARATION FOR FIELD TOUR & CO-MANAGEMENT TERMS 12:45-1:15**

**FIELD VISIT 1:30 – 4:00 pm**

Explore farming and conservation efforts at a diversified organic operation, with small group discussions with participants on design and management strategies that meet production and conservation goals.

USDA Food Safety Auditor Continuing Professional Development Credits have been requested.

For questions or assistance with special needs contact Pam Krone-Davis, FFSCN Coordinator, at 831-647-4238.